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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
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Re: Hearing Application
6 Zone, Reservoir A
7400' Zone, Reservoir A
WEST COTE BLANCHE BAY FIELD
St. Mary Parish, Louisiana
Applicant: Taylor Energy Company

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Taylor Energy Company** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 6 Zone, Reservoir A and 7400' Zone, Reservoir A, West Cote Blanche Bay Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.

6 Zone, Reservoir A

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 435 acres for the 6 Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 6 RA SUA, West Cote Blanche Bay Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. The 6 Zone, Reservoir A in the West Cote Blanche Bay Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 7,880 feet and 10,270 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Texaco-State Lease 340 No. 92 Well, located in Township 15 South, Range 7 East, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.

7400' Zone, Reservoir A

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 263 acres for the 7400' Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 7400 RA SUA, West Cote Blanche Bay Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. The 7400 Zone, Reservoir A in the West Cote Blanche Bay Field, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 7,880 feet and 9,578 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Texaco-State Lease 340 No. 92 Well, located in Township 15 South, Range 7 East, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.

For the above Zones

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the said units;
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
3. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, a pre-application conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on January 18, 2007. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a list of the names and addresses of the parties who were in attendance at that conference.


The conference was opened by Mr. B. J. Duplantis. Mr. Doffie Ross of Louis Gilbert & Associates, Inc. presented the plan of applicant. Questions were asked and answered. Mr. Bill Robbins and Mr. Matt Jones on behalf of Gulfport expressed opposition to the approval for the 6 Zone, Reservoir A. The parties attempted to reconcile their differences, but it appears there may be opposition at the public hearing on this matter. No opposition was expressed to the 7400' Zone, Reservoir A which is revised in the application.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the 6 RA SUA and the revised 7400' RA SUA, St. Mary Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed units can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. Doffie Ross of Louis Gilbert & Associates, Inc., 3636 N. Causeway Blvd., Suite 204, Metairie LA 70002 (504) 834-8112.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$1,510.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,


B. J. Duplantis

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Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson
District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties

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TAYLOR ENERGY
STATE LEASE 340

6 RA SU A
S.L. 340 NO. 2
+/- 435 ACRES

TAYLOR
S.L. 340
2 SL

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7400' RA SU A
+/- 263 ACRES

TAYLOR
S.L. 340
1 BHL

GULFPORT ENERGY
STATE LEASE 340

TAYLOR ENERGY
STATE LEASE 340

TAYLOR ENERGY COMPANY

WEST COTE BLANCHE BAY FIELD
ST. MARY PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT PLAT
6 ZONE AND 7400' ZONE

0' 1000' 2000'

DATE: WCOTEBLANCHEB.DGN
LOUIS GILBERT & ASSOCIATES, INC.

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